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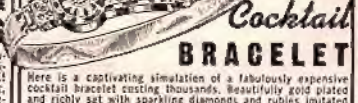

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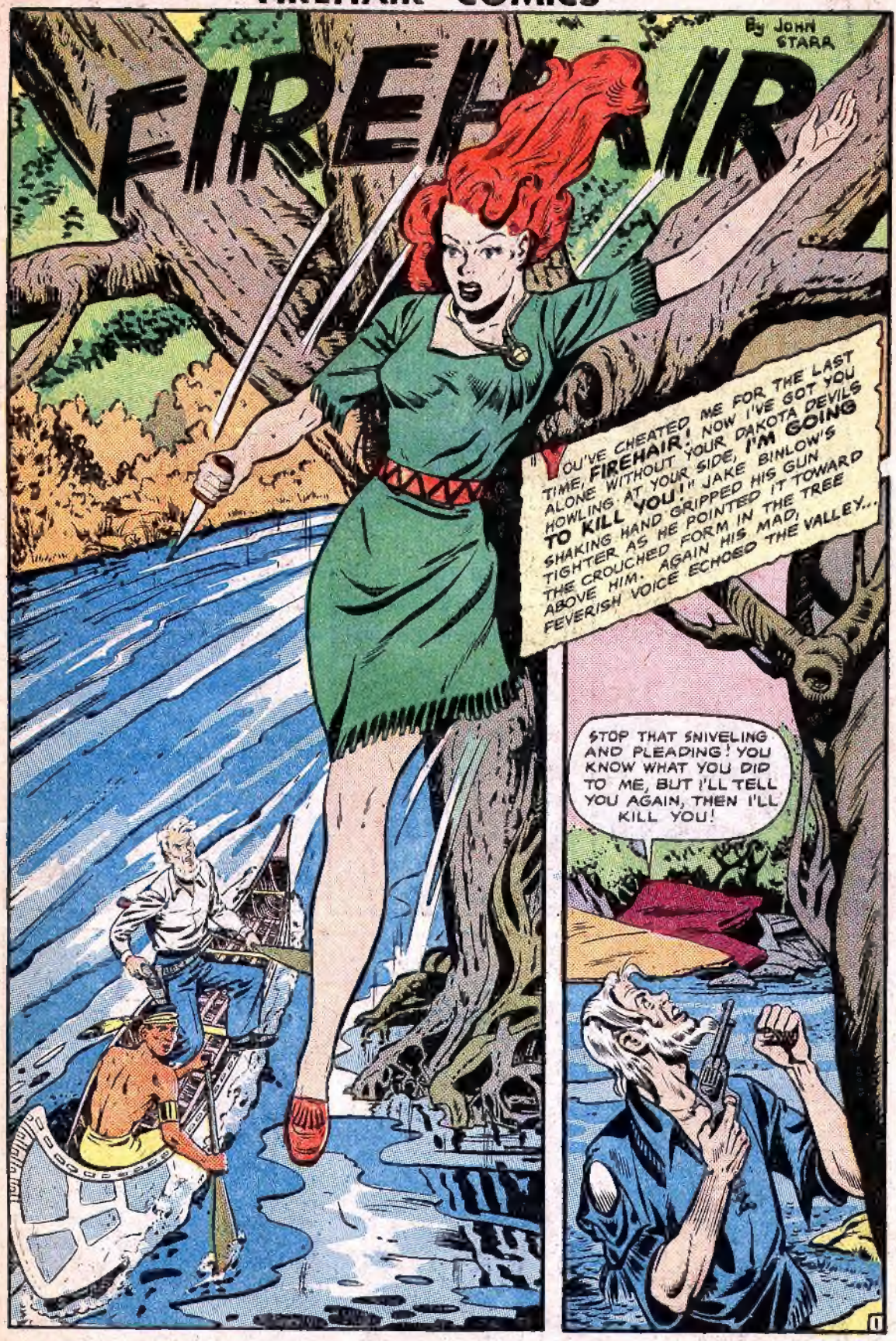
By JOHN STARR
FIREHAIR
"YOU'VE CHEATED ME FOR THE LAST TIME, FIREHAIR! NOW I'VE GOT YOU ALONE WITHOUT YOUR DAKOTA DEVILS HOWLING AT YOUR SIDE, I'M GOING TO KILL YOU!" JAKE BINLOW'S SHAKING HAND GRIPPED HIS GUN TIGHTER AS HE POINTED IT TOWARD THE CROUCHED FORM IN THE TREE ABOVE HIM. AGAIN HIS MAD, FEVERISH VOICE ECHOED THE VALLEY...
STOP THAT SNIVELING AND PLEADING! YOU KNOW WHAT YOU DID TO ME, BUT I'LL TELL YOU AGAIN, THEN I'LL KILL YOU!

"IT STARTED THAT DAY ON THE PLAINS..."
LOOK, APACHE BROTHERS! YONDER RIDES THE PATHFINDER... THE LAND LOOTER!
TONIGHT HIS SCALP SWINGS HIGH IN OUR WAR LODGE... RIDE, MY BRAVES!
STOP, DOG, DROP YORE GUN! LIFT YORE HANDS!
JAKE! JAKE BINLOW!
IT'S ME, TOM CAMERON! CALL OFF THOSE INJUNS, JAKE!
TAKE HIM ALIVE! WE'LL MAKE HIM TELL WHERE THE OTHERS ARE!
YOU LISTENIN' UP THERE, FIREHAIR? IT WAS RIGHT THEN WHEN YOU STUCK YORE NOSE INTO MY BUSINESS, YOU HEARD OUR SHOTS!
APACHE RAIDING PARTY, LITTLE AX. THEY'VE CAPTURED A WHITE MAN. WE'VE GOT TO RESCUE HIM!
TEN IN THE WAR PARTY... OUR ONLY CHANCE IS A SURPRISE ATTACK!
A WHITE MAN LEADS THEM... AND LOOK... THEY SEE US!
QUICK, WE DO NOT WANT WAR. WILL YOU RELEASE THE PRISONER?
NO! AN' WE'RE GONNA TAKE YOU ALONG WITH 'IM!
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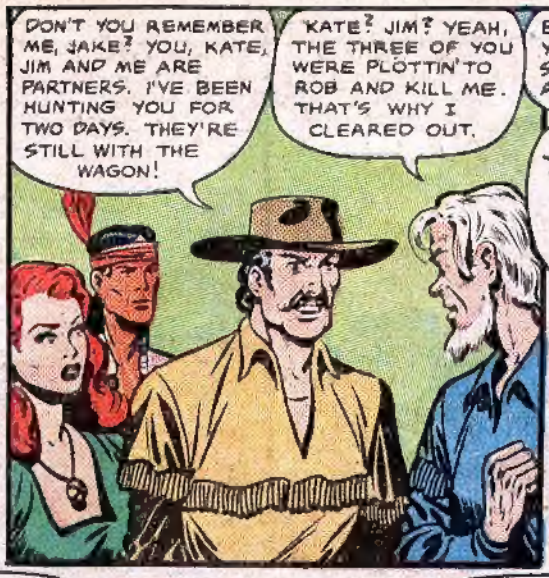
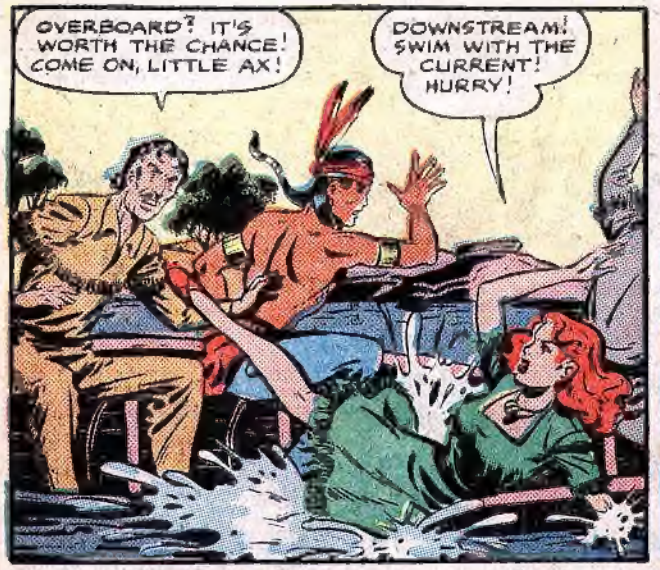
"AN' I KEPT MY WORD, DIDN'T I, FIREHAIR? INSIDE OF SECONDS WE'D TAKEN YOU AN' YORE INJUN FRIEND PRISONERS. THEN THE OTHER HOMBRE STARTED SHOOTIN' OFF HIS MOUTH..."



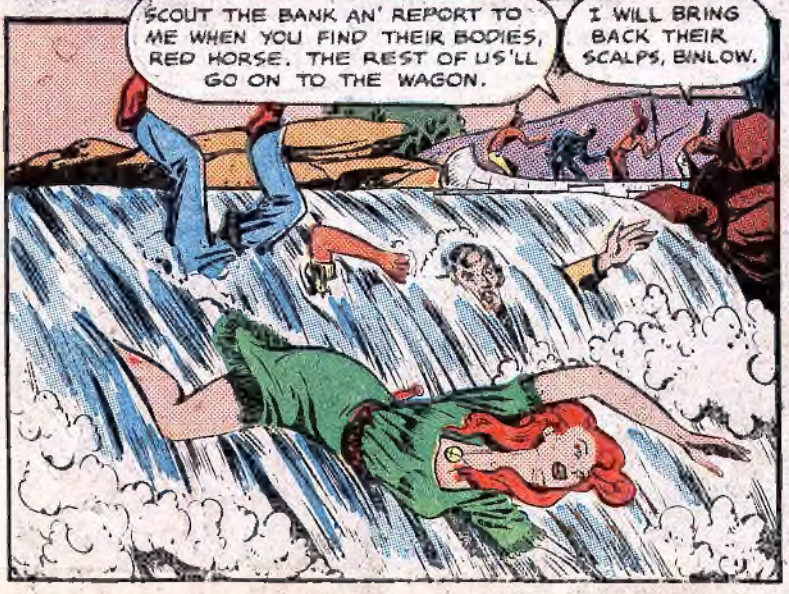

OVERBOARD? IT'S WORTH THE CHANCE! COME ON, LITTLE AX!
DOWNSTREAM! SWIM WITH THE CURRENT! HURRY!

I'M ALL RIGHT, LITTLE AX. DON'T WASTE TIME— SWIM!
BINLOW'S CALLING TO THE WAR CANOE TO PICK HIM UP. THAT WILL GAIN TIME FOR US.

HURRY UP, YOU IDIOTS. I WANT 'EM ALIVE!

NO GOOD, BINLOW. THEY SWEPT OVER THE FALLS. THEY WILL DIE!

VERMIN! THAT'S WHAT THEY ARE! BUT I WON'T BE SATISFIED UNTIL I'M SURE THEY'RE DEAD!


SCOUT THE BANK AN' REPORT TO ME WHEN YOU FIND THEIR BODIES, RED HORSE. THE REST OF US'LL GO ON TO THE WAGON.
I WILL BRING BACK THEIR SCALPS, BINLOW.

BUT YOU DIDN'T DIE, DID YOU, FIREHAIR? I'LL TELL YOU JUST WHAT HAPPENED. JUST YOU LISTEN TO THIS...

"YOU DIDN'T DIE THEN, DID YOU, FIREHAIR? NO, YOU WERE SWEPT OVER THE FALLS AND SOMEHOW LIVED TO GET TO THE SHORE..."
BINLOW'S NOT FINISHED WITH US YET. BUT WE'VE GOT TO REST BEFORE WE CAN CARRY ON.
...WHERE IS THE WAGON? WHO ARE KATE AND JIM?
THEY'RE MY PARTNERS, ALONG WITH JAKE. WE FOUND GOLD... THEN JAKE GOT SICK AND RAN OUT ON US...
LOOK! A WILDCAT!
TOM, DROP BACK... COVER YOUR EYES!
LIE STILL... DON'T STRUGGLE, OR HE'LL TEAR YOU APART!
ROLL AWAY FROM HIM TOM! NOW, CAT, IT'S MY TURN!
THAT TOOK THE FIGHT OUT OF HIM. BUT MY BLADE WAS HIGH... I DIDN'T TOUCH HIS HEART!
HE'S GONE INTO THE WOODS. HE'LL LIVE A LONG TIME. I WISH I HAD TIME TO FOLLOW AND KILL HIM!
BUT WE CAN'T, FIREHAIR. WE'VE GOT TO GET TO THE WAGON AND WARN JIM AND KATE BEFORE BINLOW GETS THERE!
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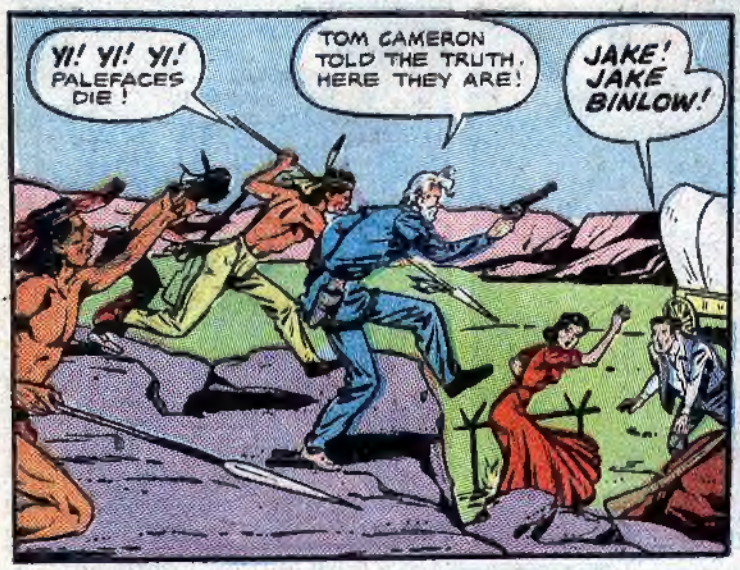
STILL LISTENING, FIREHAIR? YOU FOOLED ME THAT TIME, DIDN'T YOU? NO! I DIDN'T KNOW THEN THAT YOU HAD ESCAPED THE PLUNGE OVER THE FALLS. I LED MY APACHES ON TO THE WAGON, WHERE...

NO SIGN OF TOM, KATE. I'M SURE HOPING THAT HE FOUND JAKE.
HE'S GOT TO, JIM! ONE FOURTH OF THE GOLD IN THE WAGON BELONGS TO JAKE...

...AND HE'D RECOVER HIS SENSES UNDER A DOCTOR'S CARE.
LOOK! SOMEONE'S MOVING UP THERE! QUICK, GRAB A GUN!


YI! YI! YI! PALEFACES DIE!
TOM CAMERON TOLD THE TRUTH. HERE THEY ARE!
JAKE! JAKE BINLOW!

JAKE! CALL OFF THESE DEVILS. YOU CAN'T LET THEM KILL US!
THAT'S RIGHT! HOLD IT, INJUNS! I'VE GOT OTHER PLANS!

MAKE THEM LET US GO, JAKE. WE'RE YOUR FRIENDS. YOU OWN A SHARE OF THE GOLD THAT'S IN THE WAGON!
A SHARE? I'M GOIN' TO TAKE ALL OF IT...

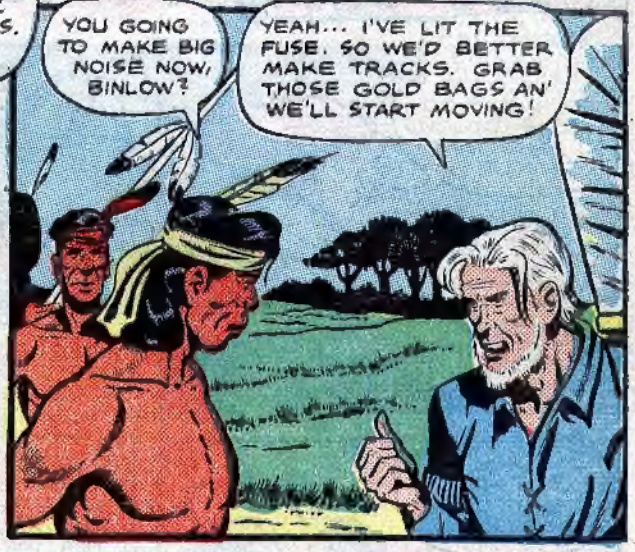
...AND I'M GOING TO KILL YOU SAME AS I DID TOM CAMERON. THROW 'EM INTO THE WAGON, BRAVES!
JAKE, YOU'RE NOT GOING TO KILL US?

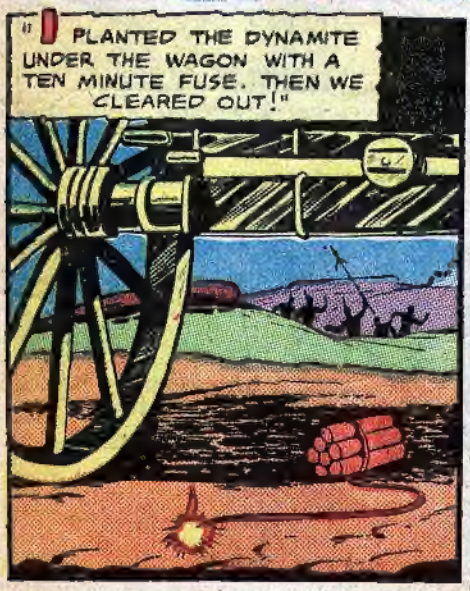
I SURE AM! AN' I'LL GIVE THE REDSKINS A LITTLE SHOW WHILE I'M DOIN' IT. TIE 'EM INSIDE AND PASS OUT THEM GOLD BAGS.

YOU GOT 'EM ALL? GOOD! NOW I'LL GET THE DYNAMITE STICKS.

YOU NEVER SAW THIS BEFORE, DID YOU? WAIT TILL YOU HEAR THE NOISE THIS STUFF MAKES!

YOU TWO GANGED UP WITH CAMERON TO STEAL THE GOLD AN' KILL ME. WELL, THE TABLES ARE TURNED, SO START PRAYING.
YOU'RE ALL MIXED UP, JAKE. KATE AND I ARE YOUR FRIENDS. GIVE US A CHANCE TO PROVE IT!
IT'S NO USE, JIM, HE'S NOT LISTENING.


YOU GOING TO MAKE BIG NOISE NOW, BINLOW?
YEAH... I'VE LIT THE FUSE. SO WE'D BETTER MAKE TRACKS. GRAB THOSE GOLD BAGS AN' WE'LL START MOVING!

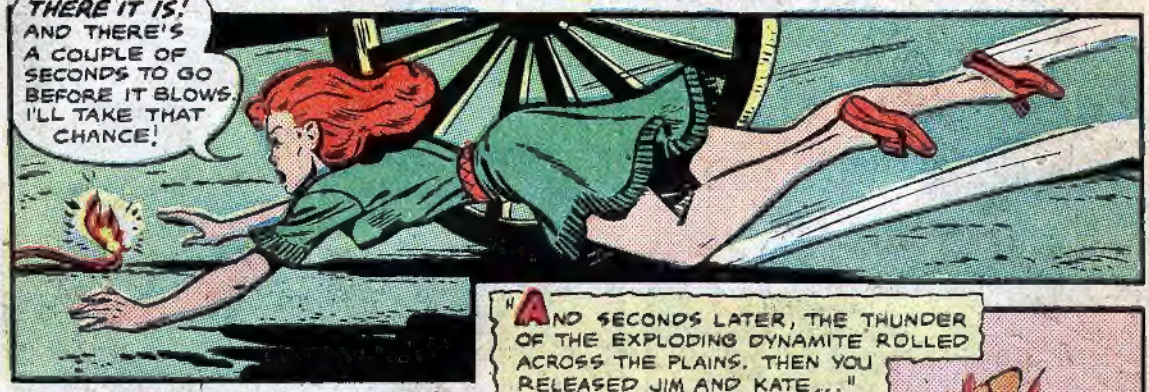

"I PLANTED THE DYNAMITE UNDER THE WAGON WITH A TEN MINUTE FUSE. THEN WE CLEARED OUT!"

GETTIN' TIRED OF LISTENING, FIREHAIR? WELL, THERE AIN'T MUCH MORE TO TELL. MY SCOUT, WHO I'D SENT TO FIND YOU AT THE FALLS, SAW YOU GET TO SHORE AND FIGHT THE WILDCAT. HE FOLLOWED YOU TO THE WAGON WHERE...

WE'RE IN LUCK. BINLOW AND HIS APACHES DIDN'T GET HERE YET, FIREHAIR.
GIVE YOUR FRIENDS A HAIL, TOM. IT LOOKS ALMOST TOO QUIET DOWN THERE.

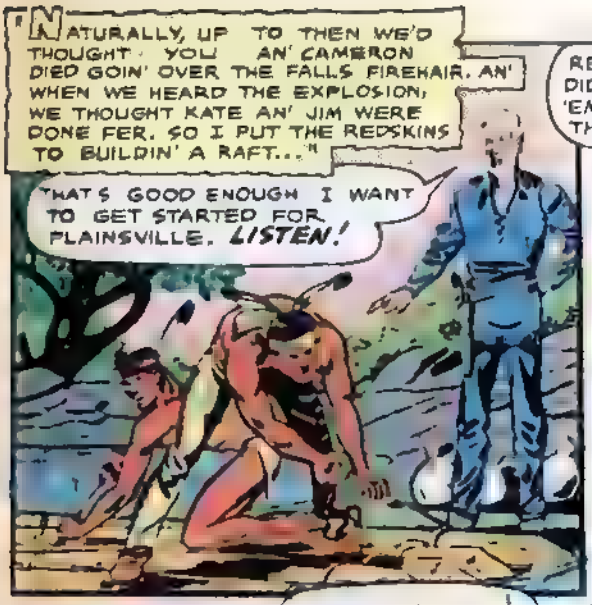
HEY, JIM! HEY, KATE! IT'S ME, TOM CAMERON. ARE YOU THERE?

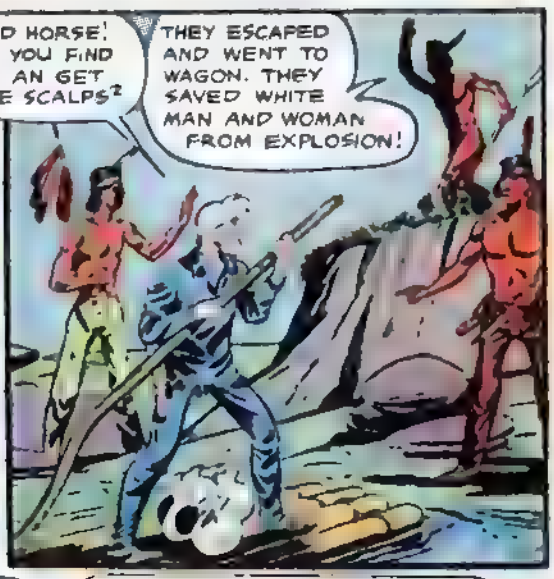
TOM! STAY AWAY! THERE'S A BUNDLE OF DYNAMITE SET UNDER THE WAGON. IT'LL BLOW ANY SECOND. STAY AWAY!


THERE IT IS! AND THERE'S A COUPLE OF SECONDS TO GO BEFORE IT BLOWS. I'LL TAKE THAT CHANCE!

I MADE IT! FALL FLAT ON THE GROUND, EVERYBODY!

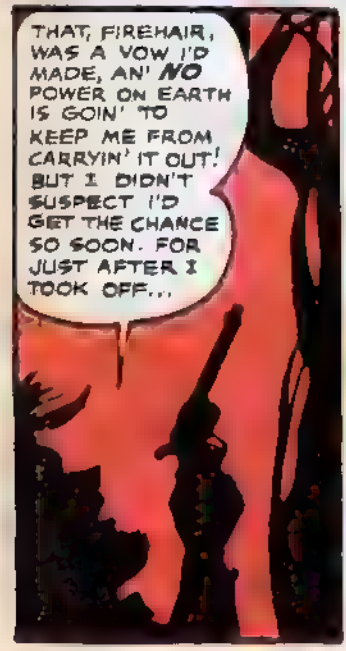
"AND SECONDS LATER, THE THUNDER OF THE EXPLODING DYNAMITE ROLLED ACROSS THE PLAINS. THEN YOU RELEASED JIM AND KATE..."
JAKE DID IT! HE AND HIS APACHES STOLE THE GOLD AND ARE HEADING FOR THE RIVER!
THEN WE'LL FOLLOW THEM. IF WE CAN CATCH JAKE AND GET HIM TO TOWN, THE DOCTOR WILL RESTORE HIS MEMORY!


"NATURALLY, UP TO THEN WE'D THOUGHT YOU AN' CAMERON DIED GOIN' OVER THE FALLS FIREHAIR. AN' WHEN WE HEARD THE EXPLOSION, WE THOUGHT KATE AN' JIM WERE DONE FER. SO I PUT THE REDSKINS TO BUILDIN' A RAFT..."
THAT'S GOOD ENOUGH I WANT TO GET STARTED FOR PLAINSVILLE. LISTEN!


RED HORSE! DID YOU FIND 'EM AN GET THE SCALPS?
THEY ESCAPED AND WENT TO WAGON. THEY SAVED WHITE MAN AND WOMAN FROM EXPLOSION!

YOU GO. YOU KEEP PROMISE TO BRING GUNS AND KNIVES BACK TO US!
SURE. AND I'VE STILL GOT A SCORE TO SETTLE!

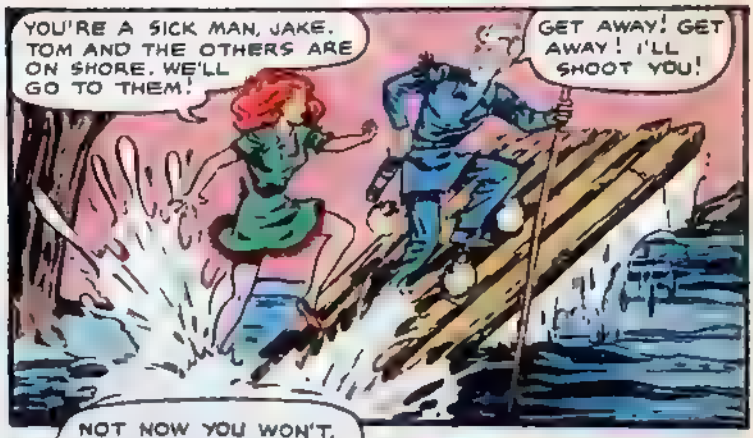
WHEN I GET BACK, WE'RE GOIN' TO HUNT DOWN FIREHAIR AN THE OTHERS. THIS TIME THEY'LL DIE!

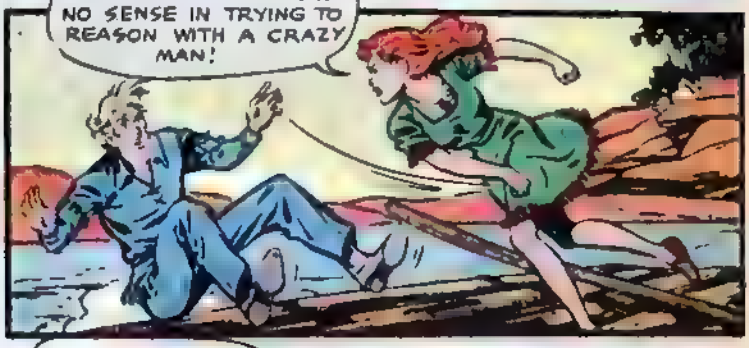

THAT, FIREHAIR, WAS A VOW I'D MADE, AN' NO POWER ON EARTH IS GOIN' TO KEEP ME FROM CARRYIN' IT OUT! BUT I DIDN'T SUSPECT I'D GET THE CHANCE SO SOON. FOR JUST AFTER I TOOK OFF...

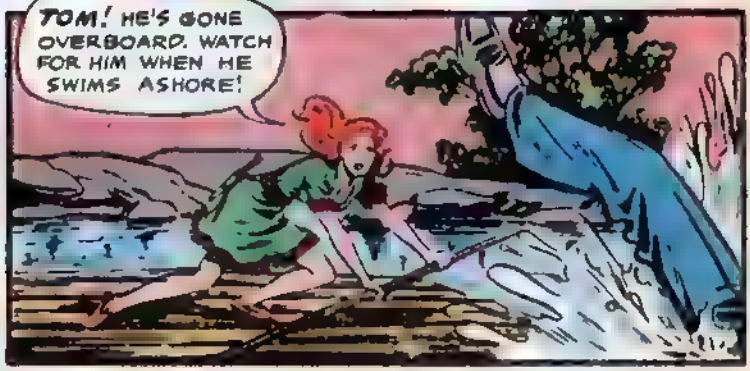
THIS GOLD WILL BUY PLENTY OF GUNS. WITH THE APACHES BEHIND ME, I'LL RULE THE WEST.

BUT FIRST I'M GOIN TO KILL FIREHAIR, KATE, JIM AN' TOM CAMERON— WHAT!

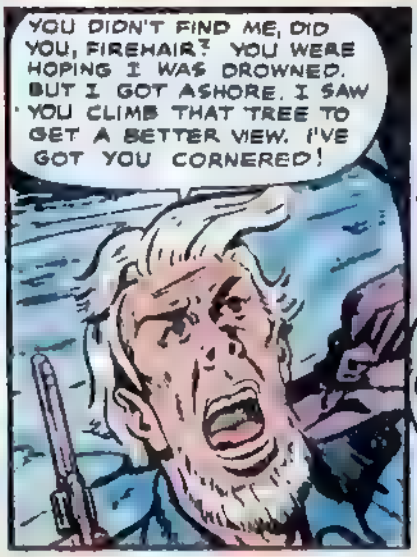
STEADY, BINLOW, I'M HERE TO HELP YOU!
FIREHAIR! AND WITH MORE OF YOUR LIES!

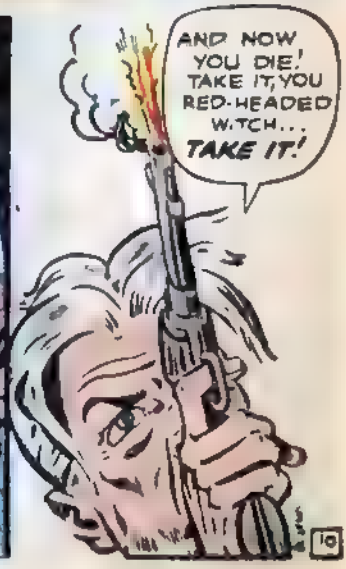

YOU'RE A SICK MAN, JAKE. TOM AND THE OTHERS ARE ON SHORE. WE'LL GO TO THEM!
GET AWAY! GET AWAY! I'LL SHOOT YOU!


NOT NOW YOU WON'T. NO SENSE IN TRYING TO REASON WITH A CRAZY MAN!


TOM! HE'S GONE OVERBOARD. WATCH FOR HIM WHEN HE SWIMS ASHORE!

YOU DIDN'T SEE HIM? THEN SCATTER AND SEARCH ALONG THE RIVER BANK. I'LL LAND AND HEAD UPSTREAM


YOU DIDN'T FIND ME, DID YOU, FIREHAIR? YOU WERE HOPING I WAS DROWNED. BUT I GOT ASHORE. I SAW YOU CLIMB THAT TREE TO GET A BETTER VIEW. I'VE GOT YOU CORNERED!


AND NOW YOU DIE! TAKE IT, YOU RED-HEADED W.TCH... TAKE IT!

YOU'RE COMIN' DOWN TO FIGHT ME, FIREHAIR! BUT IT WON'T DO NO GOOD. YOU'RE GO N' TO DIE.
WHAT! A WILDCAT!

HELP! HELP! TAKE 'IM OFF ME, SOMEBODY! HELP!

JAKE'S VOICE. QUICK, TOM, IT COMES FROM UPSTREAM LOOK!

SO, WE MEET AGAIN, CAT! YOU STILL HAVE THE WOUND I GAVE YOU WHEN YOU JUMPED ME. THIS TIME YOU WON'T ESCAPE!

HE'S DEAD, JAKE. WE'LL TAKE CARE OF YOU NOW.

IT'S TOO LATE, FIREHAIR SEEMS LIKE I'VE BEEN LIVIN' A DREAM SOMEHOW I GOT THE IDEA TOM AN' JIM AN' KATE WERE TRYIN' TO ROB ME.
WE UNDERSTAND, JAKE. DON'T TALK. WE'RE GOING TO HELP YOU.

HE'S DEAD, WE MUST FORGET ALL THOSE THINGS HE DID WHEN HE WAS OUT OF HIS MIND.
THAT'S RIGHT, FIREHAIR. WE'LL SEND HIS SHARE OF THE GOLD TO HIS WIFE BACK EAST
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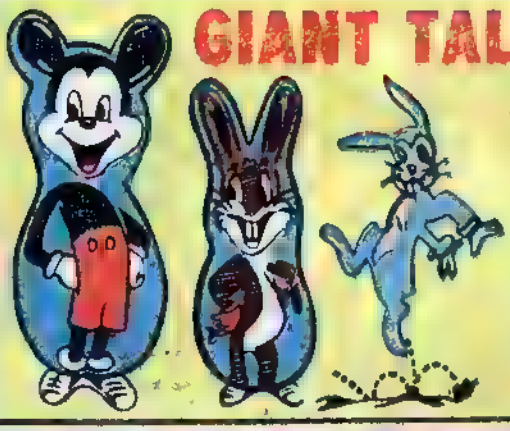

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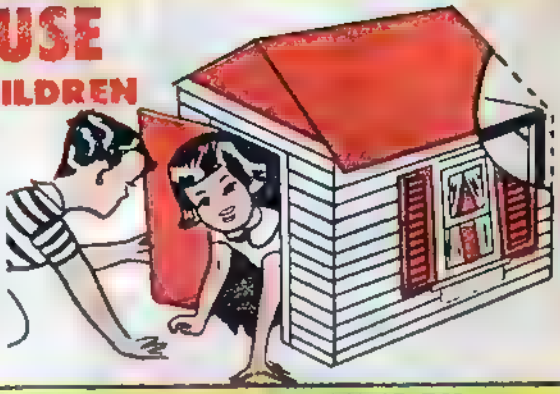

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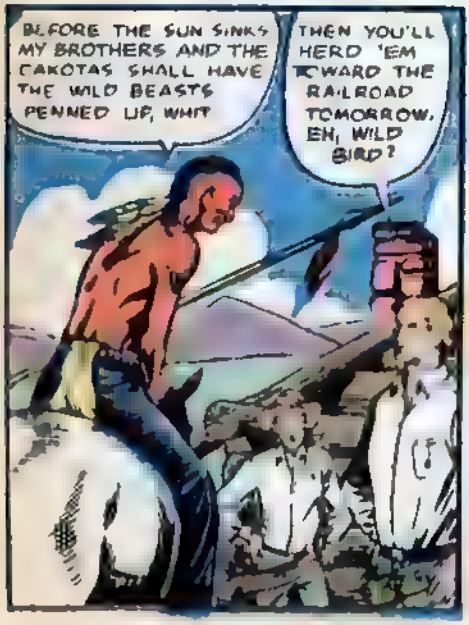
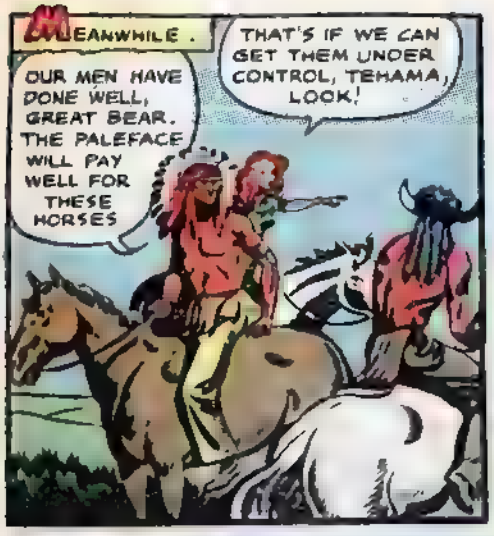
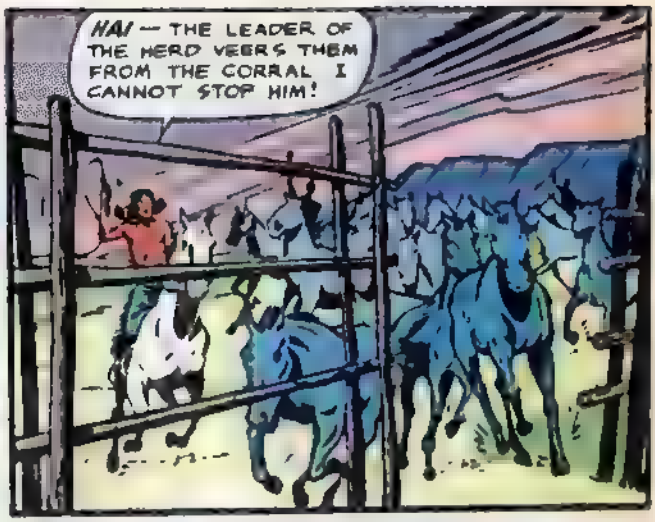
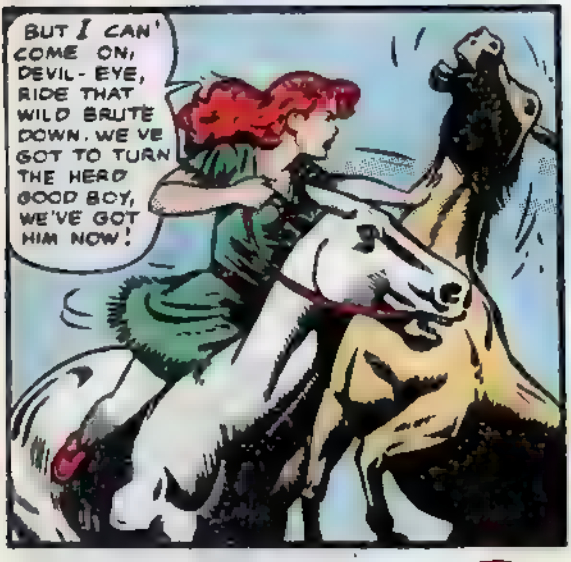
By JOHN STARR

EACH SUMMER, WHEN THE SOFT BREEZES CARESS THE WESTERN PLAINS, THE DAKOTA TRIBE, ADOPTERS OF THE WHITE INDIAN MAIDEN CALLED FIREHAIR, JOINS WITH ITS RED BROTHERS, THE BLACKFOOT, TO TRACK DOWN AND ROUND UP THE WILD HORSES THAT ROAM THE HILLS. AND NOW, EVEN AS BRAVES CLOSE IN ON THE MAN-SHY HERD, THE STORY OF THEIR SUCCESS REACHES EAGER EARS...




MEANWHILE.
OUR MEN HAVE DONE WELL, GREAT BEAR. THE PALEFACE WILL PAY WELL FOR THESE HORSES
THAT'S IF WE CAN GET THEM UNDER CONTROL, TEHAMA, LOOK!


HA! — THE LEADER OF THE HERD VEERS THEM FROM THE CORRAL. I CANNOT STOP HIM!


BUT I CAN' COME ON, DEVIL-EYE, RIDE THAT WILD BRUTE DOWN. WE'VE GOT TO TURN THE HERD GOOD BOY, WE'VE GOT HIM NOW!

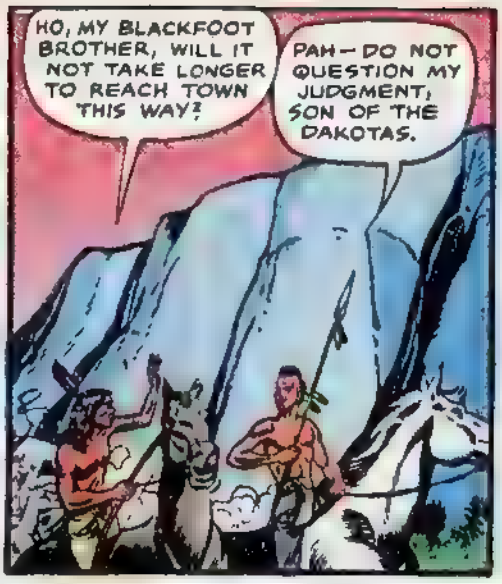
YIEE! IN YOU GO, YOU FOUR-LEGGED DEMONS! HURRY UP AND GET THOSE RAILS READY!
HAVE NO FEAR, THEY WILL NOT ESCAPE!

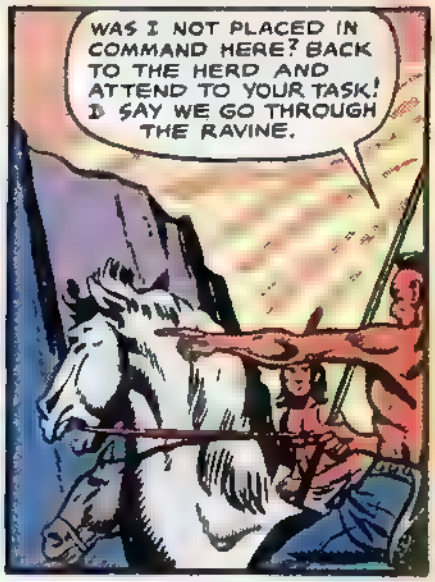
THEY'D BETTER NOT. THAT HORSEFLESH IS LIKE MONEY IN THE BANK FOR THE DAKOTAS AND THE BLACKFOOT— AND TOMORROW'S PAY DAY!

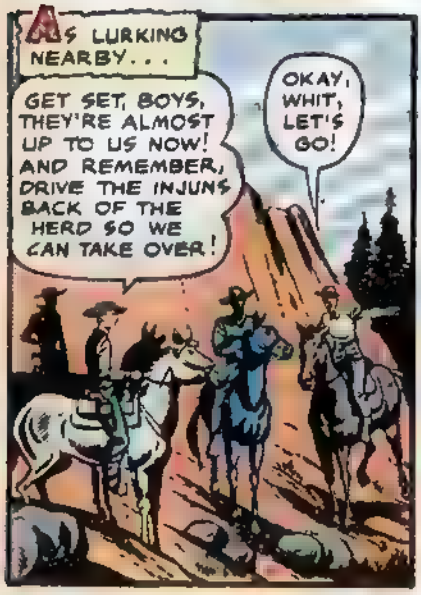
THEN, THE NEXT DAY.
GOOD LUCK, WILD BIRD, MAKE THIS A QUICK TRIP TO THE RAILHEAD.
I SHALL FLY LIKE THE WINDS, FIREHAIR, FOR I HAVE SOMETHING IMPORTANT TO TELL YOU WHEN I RETURN. FAREWELL!

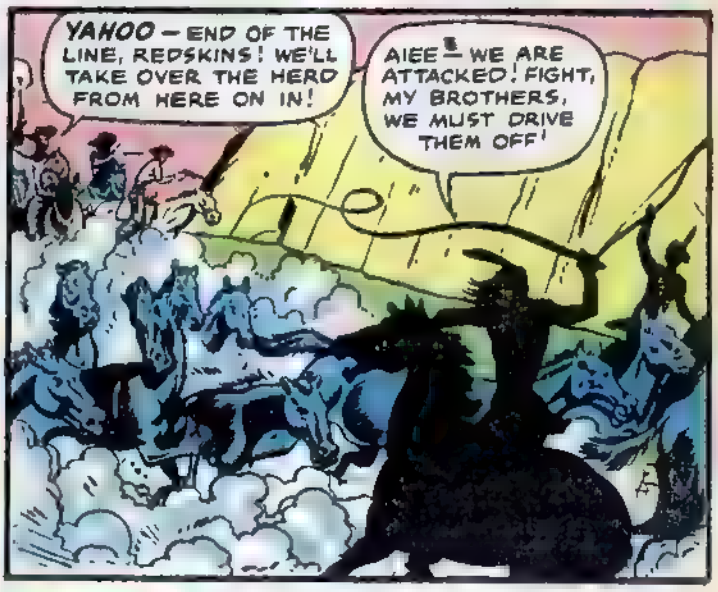
HMMM — I WONDER WHAT HE MEANT BY THAT? AND I DIDN'T EXACTLY LIKE THE LOOK IN HIS EYES WHEN HE SAID IT EITHER!

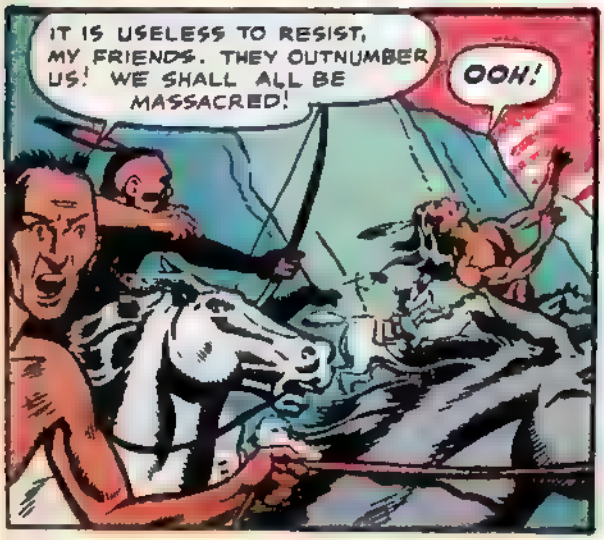
ON ACROSS THE SEEMINGLY ENDLESS PLAINS, WILD BIRD, IN CHARGE OF THE PARTY OF DAKOTA AND BLACKFOOT GUIDES THE RESTLESS HERD. THEN AS THEY APPROACH THE MOUTH OF A DRAW...

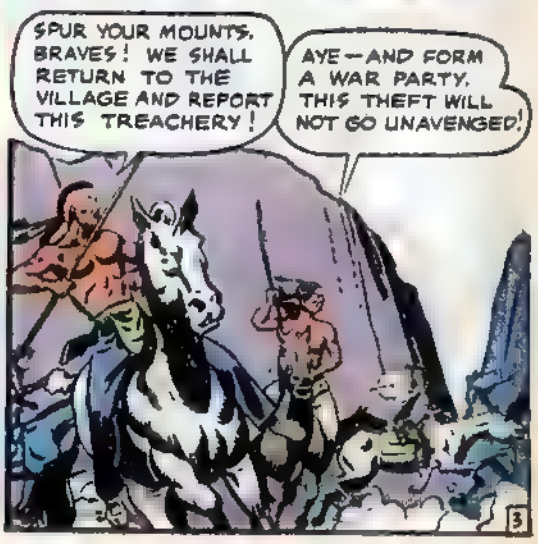






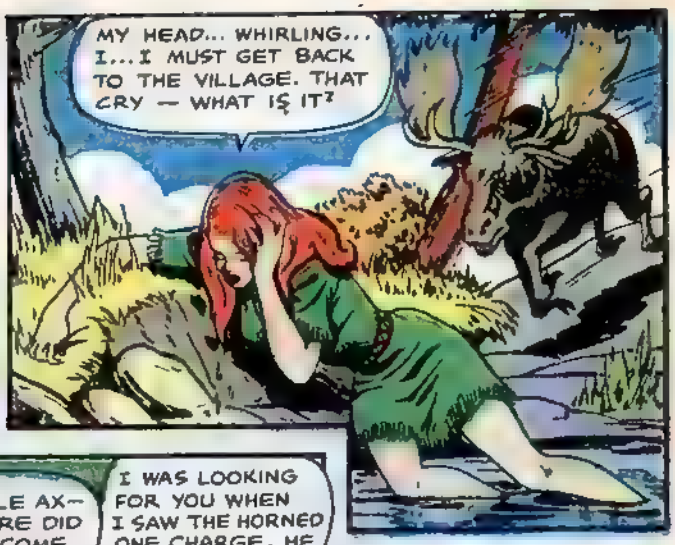


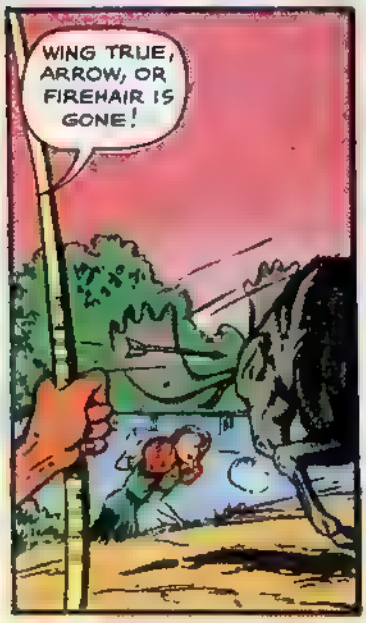




AND SO, THE BEATEN BAND OF BRAVES GALLOP BACK TO THE DAKOTA VILLAGE AND GASP OUT THEIR TALE OF WHITE MAN'S TERROR! SOON A COUNCIL FIRE WARMS GRIM FACES, AS..
WHAT SHALL WE DO, TEHAMA? IT MAY BE TOO LATE TO PURSUE THE EVIL PALEFACES.
PERHAPS, GREAT BEAR, BUT A FAST WAR PARTY MAY BE ABLE TO OVERTAKE THE SLOW HERD. WAIT— I SHALL SEEK OTHER ADVICE.
GO AND SEEK FIREHAIR, LITTLE AX! TELL HER I WOULD HAVE HER JOIN OUR COUNCIL!
AYE, MY FATHER, I SAW HER WALK TOWARD THE STREAM! I SHALL BRING HER HERE AT ONCE!
AS...
WHEN WILD BIRD CAME BACK, HE WHISPERED THAT I WAS TO MEET HIM HERE! WHY IS HE ACTING SO MYSTERIOUSLY? WAIT— THAT RUSTLE OF BRUSH.
WILD BIRD— WHAT IS IT? WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND?
YOU, FIREHAIR, LONG HAVE I LOVED YOU IN SILENCE AND DESIRED YOU FOR MY SQUAW. ONLY NOW CAN I SPEAK...LOOK!
GOLD— THE WHITE MEN PAID ME WELL FOR LEADING THE HORSES INTO THEIR TRAP. NOW, YOU AND I CAN GO AWAY TOGETHER.
WHAT? YOU MEAN YOU WERE WORKING WITH THOSE DIRTY RUSTLERS? THEN YOU'RE A TRAITOR!
IT WAS FOR YOU, FIREHAIR. AND THERE WILL BE MORE WHEN THE WHITE MEN SELL THE HORSES IN TOWN. COME, FAIR ONE. SAY... WHAT?
DOG— I'M GOING TO DRAG YOU BACK TO THE CHIEFS AND LET THEM HEAR THE STORY FROM YOUR OWN LIPS!
NO, YOU VIXEN, NO ONE WILL EVER FIND OUT. THERE— TELL YOUR TALE TO THE RAGING WATERS. NOW I MUST GO TO MY WHITE FRIENDS!
OOH!

SOON...
I WAS SURE MY SISTER CAME IN THIS DIRECTION. YET I SEE NO SIGN OF.. WAIT—THE ROAR OF THE BULL MOOSE!

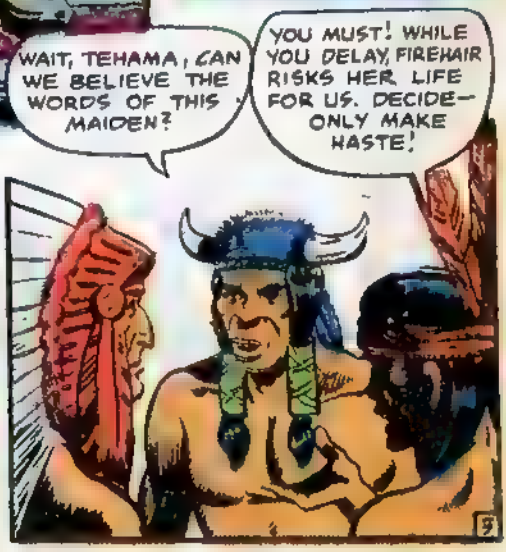

MY HEAD... WHIRLING... I... I MUST GET BACK TO THE VILLAGE. THAT CRY — WHAT IS IT?


WING TRUE, ARROW, OR FIREHAIR IS GONE!

LITTLE AX— WHERE DID YOU COME FROM?
I WAS LOOKING FOR YOU WHEN I SAW THE HORNED ONE CHARGE. HE IS DEAD NOW, SISTER! BUT WHAT HAPPENED?

NO TIME TO EXPLAIN ALL. I'M RIDING AHEAD TO THE RAILHEAD AT PLAINSVILLE. I WANT YOU TO GO TO TEHAMA AND GREAT BEAR AND TELL THEM THIS! LISTEN...

SWIFTLY...
HO, MY FATHER, I FOUND FIREHAIR, BUT SHE RIDES TO TOWN. SHE SAID WILD BIRD BETRAYED THE TRIBES TO WHITE RAIDERS. SHE WANTS YOU TO FOLLOW.
IT SHALL BE DONE. COME, GREAT BEAR, GATHER YOUR MEN!


WAIT, TEHAMA, CAN WE BELIEVE THE WORDS OF THIS MAIDEN?
YOU MUST! WHILE YOU DELAY, FIREHAIR RISKS HER LIFE FOR US. DECIDE— ONLY MAKE HASTE!

AND SOON AFTER...
SO FIREHAIR TURNED YOU DOWN AND YOU GOT SORE, EH, WILD BIRD? NEVER MIND, YOU'LL HAVE SOMETHING BETTER — GOLD!
AYE, MY FRIEND, BUT WHEN?
AS SOON AS THE GOVERNMENT AGENT GETS BACK WITH THE PAPERS. AND IF HE GETS NOSEY, REMEMBER YOU'RE THE BOY WHO SOLD THE HORSES FOR THE TRIBES TO ME—CATCH? LOOK!
WELL, EVERYTHING SEEMS TO BE IN ORDER, WHIT! FUNNY, THOUGH, THAT THE TRIBE'S NOT DEALING DIRECTLY WITH ME, THIS TIME.
OH, THEY WANTED THE MONEY QUICKER THIS YEAR, SO THEY SOLD THEM TO ME FIRST. YOU GONNA SIGN?
SURE THING, WHIT. THE GOVERNMENT'S GETTING A FINE LOT THIS TIME.
HEY! WHAT'S THAT?
DON'T SIGN, MISTER, I THINK IT'S ONLY FAIR TO WARN YOU, YOU'RE BUYING STOLEN PROPERTY!
WHO ARE YOU, GAL? WHAT RE YOU TALKING ABOUT?
THIS SKUNK HERE RUSTLED THOSE HORSES FROM THE TRIBES... AND HIS INDIAN FRIEND THERE HELPED HIM!
SHE'S CRAZY, MISTER! HEY, BOYS, GRAB HER!
SO YOU'RE GONNA GET TOUGH! THERE'S ONLY ONE WAY TO HANDLE YOUR KIND!
THE PALEFACE IS DESPERATE— HE WILL KILL FIREHAIR! I STILL LOVE HER AND MUST SAVE HER!
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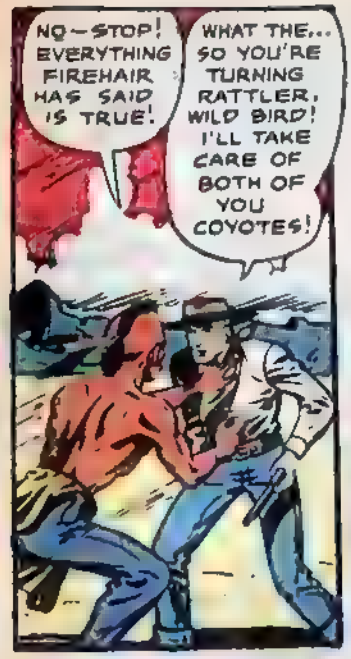
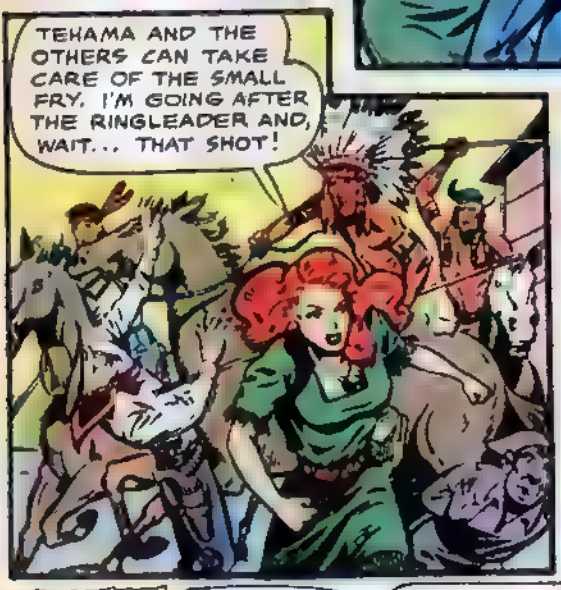
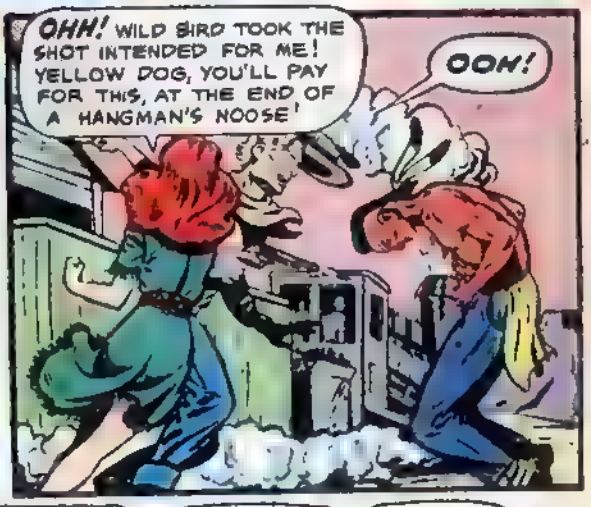
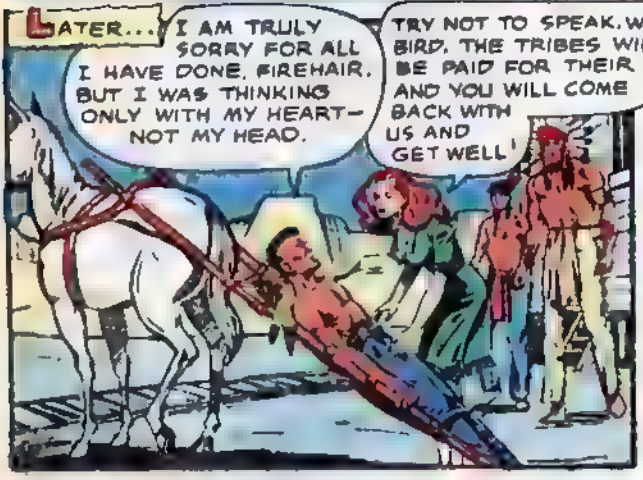

NO—STOP! EVERYTHING FIREHAIR HAS SAID IS TRUE!
WHAT THE... SO YOU'RE TURNING RATTLER, WILD BIRD! I'LL TAKE CARE OF BOTH OF YOU COYOTES!

THIS IS MY CHANCE, WHILE THEY'RE DISTRACTED BY WILD BIRD!
WATCH OUT, THE RED-HEADED WITCH'S GETTING FREE! WAIT—LOOK!

TEHAMA'S MOB! QUICK, RUN FOR IT!


TEHAMA AND THE OTHERS CAN TAKE CARE OF THE SMALL FRY. I'M GOING AFTER THE RINGLEADER AND, WAIT... THAT SHOT!


OHH! WILD BIRD TOOK THE SHOT INTENDED FOR ME! YELLOW DOG, YOU'LL PAY FOR THIS, AT THE END OF A HANGMAN'S NOOSE!
OOH!


LATER...
I AM TRULY SORRY FOR ALL I HAVE DONE, FIREHAIR. BUT I WAS THINKING ONLY WITH MY HEART—NOT MY HEAD.
TRY NOT TO SPEAK, WILD BIRD. THE TRIBES WILL BE PAID FOR THEIR HORSES AND YOU WILL COME BACK WITH US AND GET WELL!

NO, FIREHAIR, I SEE MY VILLAGE NO MORE. THE GREAT SPIRIT AWAITS ME. I...OOH!
HE GOES, FIREHAIR, BUT HIS SPIRIT IS CLEANSED, FOR HE ATONED FOR HIS CRIME
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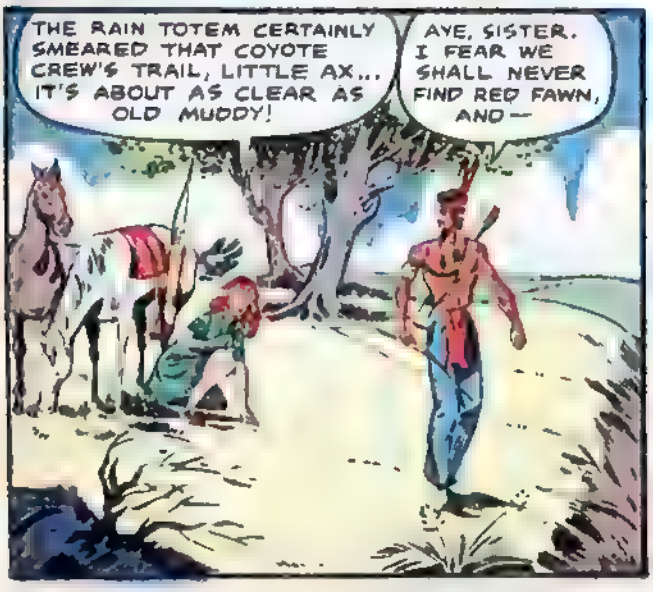
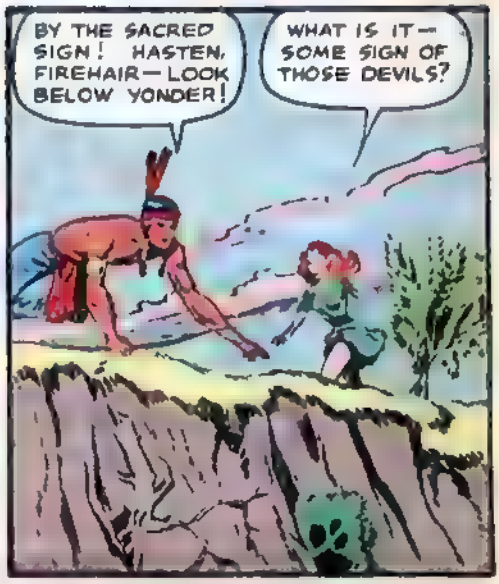
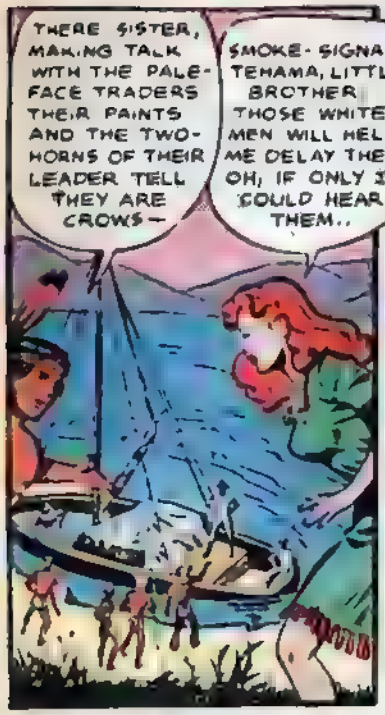
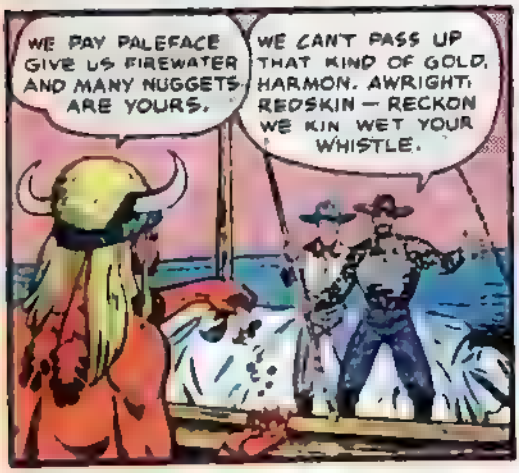


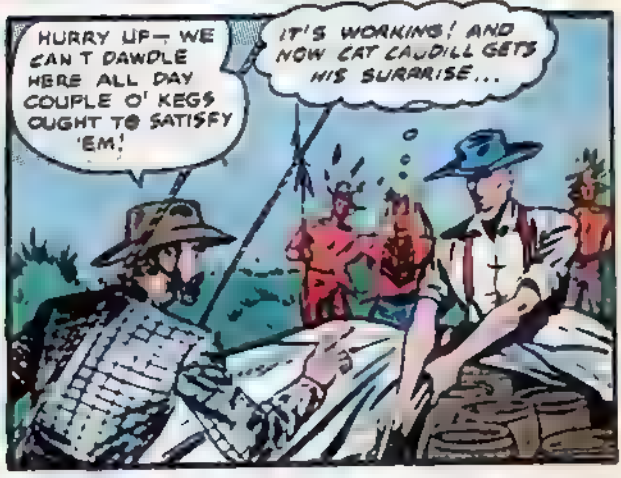



THERE SISTER, MAKING TALK WITH THE PALE-FACE TRADERS THEIR PAINTS AND THE TWO-HORNS OF THEIR LEADER TELL THEY ARE CROWS—
SMOKE-SIGNAL TEHAMA, LITTLE BROTHER. THOSE WHITE MEN WILL HELP ME DELAY THEM. OH, IF ONLY I COULD HEAR THEM..

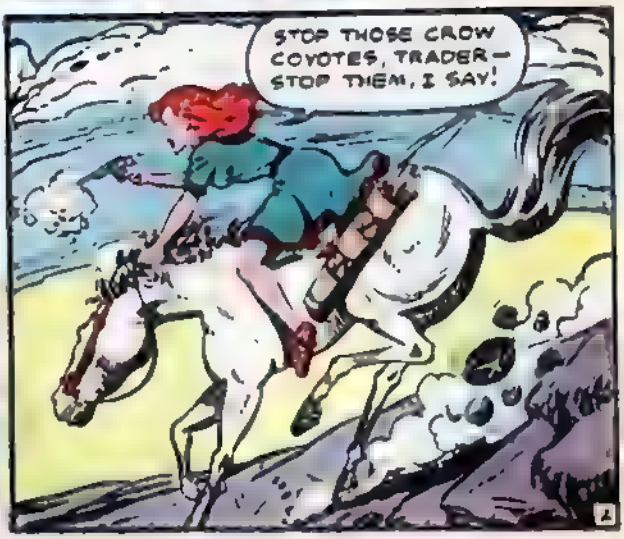
IT IS FIREWATER WE SEEK, WHITE BROTHER— THE CROWS' THIRST IS GREAT.
RUGGED, FRIEND, RUGGED. BUT YOU KNOW THE LONGKNIVES WON'T LET US HAUL IN FIREWATER TO YOU INJUNS.

STICK WITH THAT LINE, CAUDILL. CAPTAIN MURDOCK OF THE FORT UD GIVE HIS EYE TO CATCH US PEDDLIN' MOONSHINE
YEAH, HARMON, WE WON'T BREAK IT OUT HERE—SAY!

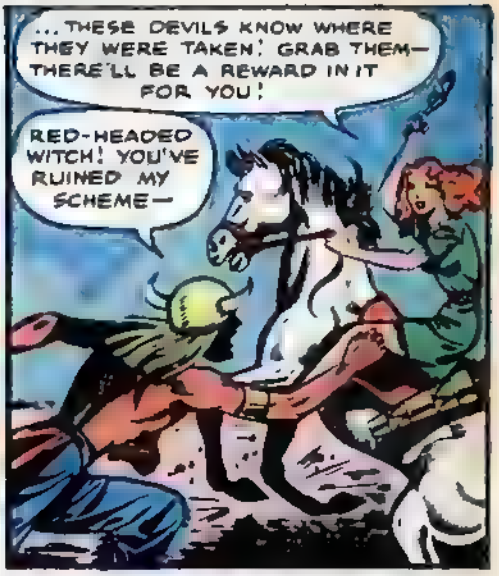

WE PAY PALEFACE GIVE US FIREWATER AND MANY NUGGETS ARE YOURS.
WE CAN'T PASS UP THAT KIND OF GOLD, HARMON. AWRIGHT, REDSKIN — RECKON WE KIN WET YOUR WHISTLE.


HURRY UP— WE CAN'T DAWDLE HERE ALL DAY COUPLE O' KEGS OUGHT TO SATISFY 'EM!
IT'S WORKING! AND NOW CAT CAUDILL GETS HIS SURPRISE...

YOU INJUNS MAKE SURE NO SOLDERS FIND OUT WHERE YOU GOT THIS STUFF— TARNATION!


STOP THOSE CROW COYOTES, TRADER— STOP THEM, I SAY!

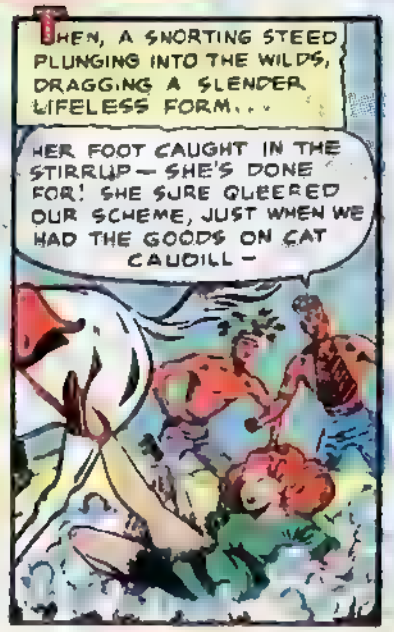
COME ON, YOU FELLOWS—LEND A HAND HERE! SOME OF THEIR TRIBE STOLE TWO DAKOTA GIRLS—

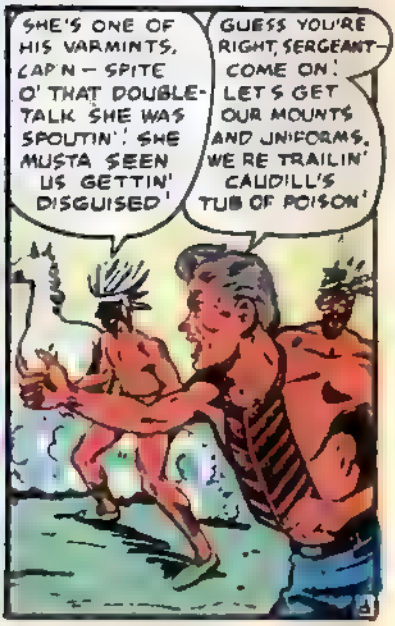

...THESE DEVILS KNOW WHERE THEY WERE TAKEN! GRAB THEM—THERE'LL BE A REWARD IN IT FOR YOU!
RED-HEADED WITCH! YOU'VE RUINED MY SCHEME—

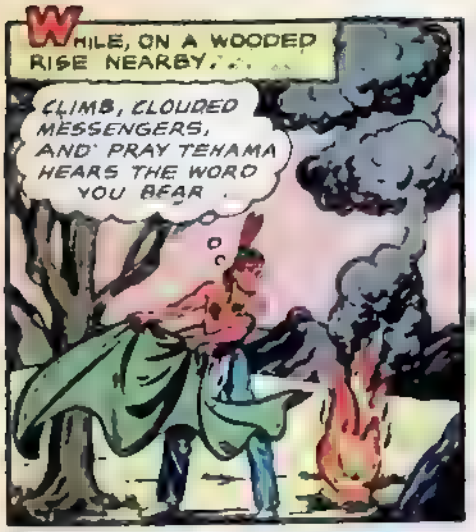
WHAT! HIS TWO-HORNS GONE! IT—IT'S A WHITE MAN!

IT'S CAP'N MURDOCK OF LARAMIE'S INTELLIGENCE, CAT!
YOU THINK I'M BLIND? WE'RE GETTIN' OUT OF HERE PRONTO! THAT SQUAW CAN'T KEEP 'EM OFF OUR NECKS LONG! LOOK!

I'LL TAKE CARE OF THE FIRE-SPITTING WILDCAT, CAPTAIN MURDOCK! THERE!
OOH!


THEN, A SNORTING STEED PLUNGING INTO THE WILDS, DRAGGING A SLENDER LIFELESS FORM...
HER FOOT CAUGHT IN THE STIRRUP—SHE'S DONE FOR! SHE SURE QUEERED OUR SCHEME, JUST WHEN WE HAD THE GOODS ON CAT CAUDILL—


SHE'S ONE OF HIS VARMINTS, CAP'N—SPITE O' THAT DOUBLE-TALK SHE WAS SPOUTIN'! SHE MUSTA SEEN US GETTIN' DISGUISED!
GUESS YOU'RE RIGHT, SERGEANT—COME ON! LET'S GET OUR MOUNTS AND UNIFORMS. WE'RE TRAILIN' CAUDILL'S TUB OF POISON!


WHILE, ON A WOODED RISE NEARBY...
CLIMB, CLOUDED MESSENGERS, AND PRAY TEHAMA HEARS THE WORD YOU BEAR.

LITTLE AX TELLS THAT THEY HAVE SIGHTED A BAND OF CROW SNAKES, O, GREAT TEHAMA... THAT FIREHAIR SEEKS AID OF WHITE TRADERS TO DELAY THEM.
THEY ARE FOOLS—BOTH OF THEM! THAT THEY SHOULD TRUST STRANGE TRADERS... SELLERS OF POISON.

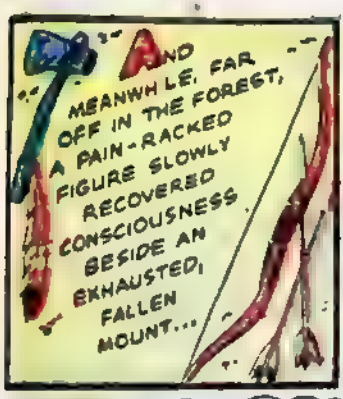
HO, BROTHERS—DON THE PAINTS OF WAR. YOUR WEAPONS, MOUNTS—SWIFTLY! YOUR CHIEFTAIN HAS SPOKEN...

WE MUST SPEED AS THE WIND 'LEST WE FIND ONLY BONES OF OUR OWN BLOOD TO GREET US!

AS, IN THE CROW CAMP FAR AWAY...
FOR A FULL SUN OUR WAR PARTY HAS BEEN GONE, AND YET NO WORD. I FEAR THAT—
THEY ARE SAFE GREAT CHIEFTAIN—BEHOLD, EVEN NOW THEY COME—

HO, AND WITH CAPTIVES THAT SHALL MAKE THE PALEFACE TRADERS EYES BULGE! COME, CURSED SQUAWS!
NO, NO—FREE US! LET US RETURN TO OUR PEOPLE—

DAKOTA MAIDENS—HAI-EE! WELL DONE, BROTHERS—WELL DONE! A RIVER OF FIREWATER SHALL THEY BUY FROM TRADER CAUDILL.


AND MEANWHILE, FAR OFF IN THE FOREST, A PAIN-RACKED FIGURE SLOWLY RECOVERED CONSCIOUSNESS BESIDE AN EXHAUSTED, FALLEN MOUNT...

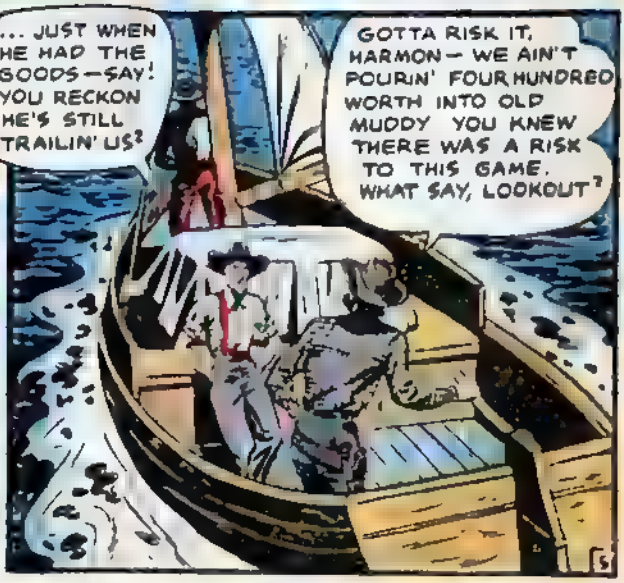
WHAT—WHAT HAPPENED, LITTLE AX? WERE WE AMBUSHED? OH, MY HEAD'S THROBBING SO... WAIT— I REMEMBER NOW! THE WHITE MEN DISGUISED AS CROWS... THE TRADERS WHO WOULD NOT AID.

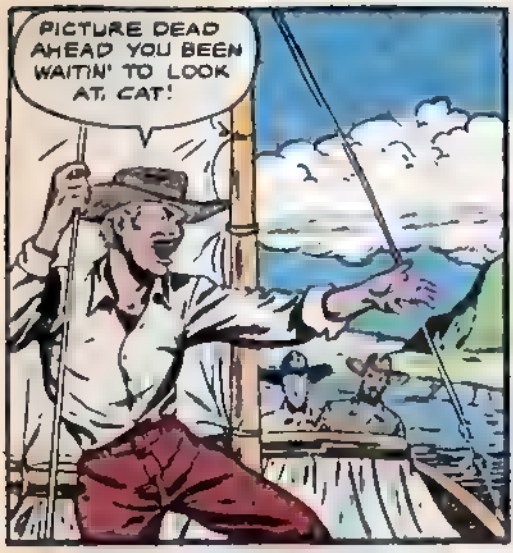
BUT RED FAWN AND SPOTTED CALF...IN THE HANDS OF THOSE CURSED CROWS... I MUST FIND THEIR TRAIL— WHAT'S THAT?

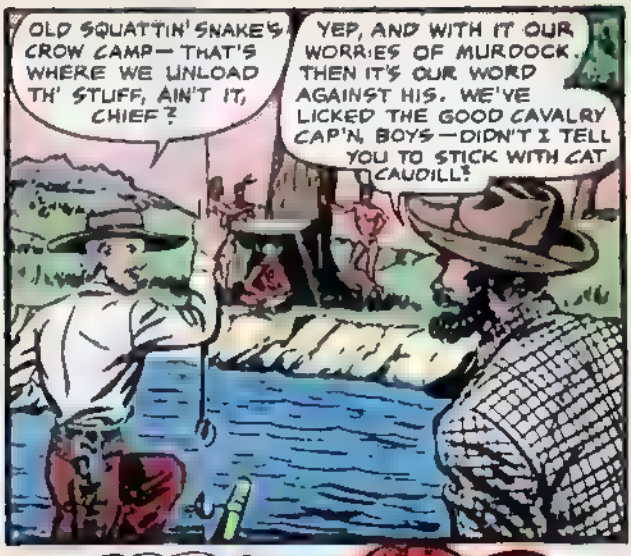
CATAMOUNT— AND HUNGER-CRAZED BY, ITS ROARS! NO TIME FOR AN ARROW. BUT—

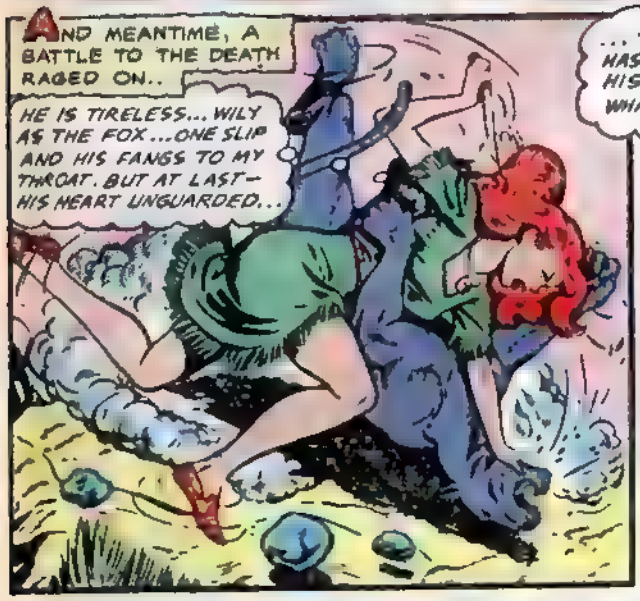
MY KNIFE WILL — WHAT— WE FALL!

AS ON THE DISTANT RIVER...
WE MUSTA BEEN BLIND BACK THERE... NOT SEEIN' THAT MURDOCK HIMSELF WAS THE LEADER OF THEM SKUNKS.
YEAH, AN' WE KIN THANK OUR LUCKY STARS FOR THAT DAKOTA GAL, CAUDILL— SHE SURE TOOK A ROPE FROM AROUND OUR NECKS.


... JUST WHEN HE HAD THE GOODS—SAY! YOU RECKON HE'S STILL TRAILIN' US?
GOTTA RISK IT, HARMON— WE AIN'T POURIN' FOUR HUNDRED WORTH INTO OLD MUDDY YOU KNEW THERE WAS A RISK TO THIS GAME. WHAT SAY, LOOKOUT?


PICTURE DEAD AHEAD YOU BEEN WAITIN' TO LOOK AT, CAT!


OLD SQUATTIN' SNAKE'S CROW CAMP— THAT'S WHERE WE UNLOAD TH' STUFF, AIN'T IT, CHIEF?
YEP, AND WITH IT OUR WORRIES OF MURDOCK. THEN IT'S OUR WORD AGAINST HIS. WE'VE LICKED THE GOOD CAVALRY CAP'N, BOYS—DIDN'T I TELL YOU TO STICK WITH CAT CAUDILL?


AND MEANTIME, A BATTLE TO THE DEATH RAGED ON..
HE IS TIRELESS... WILY AS THE FOX...ONE SLIP AND HIS FANGS TO MY THROAT. BUT AT LAST— HIS HEART UNGUARDED...

... THIS KILLER HAS STALKED HIS LAST PREY— WHAT'S THAT?

A FEATHER STAINED WITH DAKOTA DYES, AND CROW MOCCASIN TRACKS— THE MAIDENS AND THEIR CAPTORS! TRULY THE SACRED TOTEM SENT THAT CATAMOUNT TO PLACE ME ON THE RAIDERS' TRAIL—

YES, IT'S CLEAR NOW! AND NO TIME TO LOSE... NO TELLING WHAT SQUATTING SNAKE'S DOGS WOULD DO TO RED FAWN AND SPOTTED CALF!

AND LATER...

HER MOUNT FALLEN EXHAUSTED .. A DEAD CATAMOUNT, AND NOW HER MOCCASIN TRACKS ON THE RAIDERS' TRAIL—

BUT FIREHAIR KILLED THE FANGED DEMON, TEHAMA — SHE LIVES! SHE LIVES!

HO, IT IS ONLY YOUR HEART THAT SPEAKS, LITTLE AX. OUR FIREBRAND SISTER TRAILED SQUATTING SNAKE'S RAIDERS ALONE!

WE MUST FLY, MY SON — THREE DAKOTA MAIDENS IN THEIR HANDS NOW, AND IF HARM HAS COME TO THEM, NOT ONE CROW SHALL REMAIN ALIVE — *NOT ONE!*

WHILE, FAR AHEAD, AT THE CROW'S CAMP...

I BROUGHT YOU FIREWATER A-PLENTY, SQUATTIN' SNAKE — FER SQUAWS LIKE WE AGREED ON LAST TRIP. WHERE ARE THEY?

HO, THE WHITE BROTHER'S HEART IS GOOD. BRAVES— BRING FORTH THE CAPTIVES

DAKOTA LASSIES— WOW! CAT, THE BLACKFEET'LL PAY PLENTY O' NUGGETS FOR SQUAWS LIKE THAT

YEAH. AWRIGHT, SQUATTIN' SNAKE— IT'S A DEAL. GET 'EM ABOARD, AND WE'LL GIVE YOU FIREWATER— TH' WHOLE LOAD.

DOGS — YOUR SCALPS SHALL HANG FROM TEHAMA'S TEEPEE! RED FAWN SWEARS IT!

SHE'S A SPITFIRE AWRIGHT, CAT— RECKON WE BETTER TRUSS 'EM BOTH SNUG.

YEAH — THAT'S THE TICKET. A SPITFIRE, EH? WELL, SHE'LL SING A DIFFERENT TUNE 'FORE CAT CAUDILL IS THROUGH WITH HER!

MEANWHILE, A FLAME-THATCHED GIRL SPED ALONG A FOREST PATH...
THE TRAIL'S GETTING WARM ALL RIGHT... THE SAP'S STILL FLOWING FROM THAT BROKEN BRANCH — WHAT'S THAT?
A CROW CAMP — AND THAT SAME TRADER'S BOAT! THEY MUST BE RUNNING FIREWATER IN TO THE CROWS... AND THERE'S RED FAWN!
HMMMM — PRETTY LITTLE PIDGEON. I MIGHT NOT SWAP YOU FOR FURS OR GOLD IF YOU JUST BE NICE, SISTER —
AYE, RED FAWN SHALL BE NICE, SON OF A SNAKE — THERE!
OOOF!
RECKON YOU DON'T SCORE SO GOOD WITH THAT WILDCAT, CAUDILL — WE SELL HER TO TH' BLACKFEET, HUH?
NOT BY A DANG SIGHT, WE DON'T!
I AIN'T THE KIND THAT TAKES THAT STUFF FROM NO MANGY SQUAW! AND NOW —
NO-NO! MERCY!
THAT DEVIL — HE WOULD KILL HER! BUT NOW WHILE THE CROWS HAGGLE, SURPRISE MUST BE MY ALLY — SURPRISE BORNE BY THE FIERY ARROW — THERE!
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HOLD ON, CAT— DIDN'T YOU HEAR THAT WHINE? SOUNDED LIKE AN ARROW—
IT WAS' A FLAME ARROW—LOOK' IT HIT THAT TARP OVER THE CARGO—

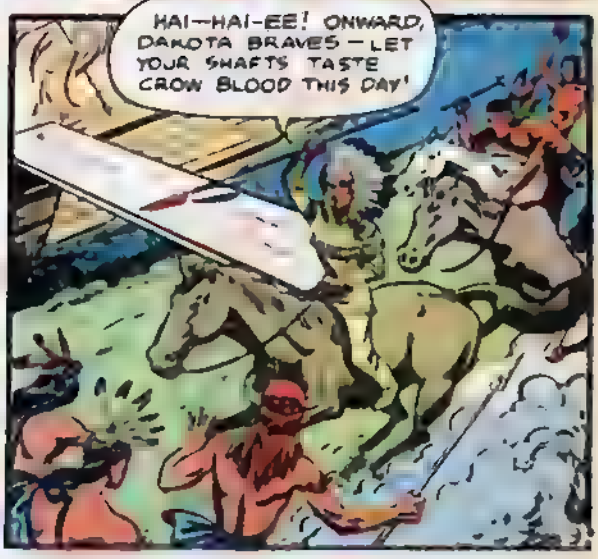
HOLY SMOKES — THAT STUFF'LL GO UP LIKE GUNPOWDER! C'MON, YOU MONKEYS—LISTEN' CAT, IT'S THAT CARROT-TOPPED WENCH — LOOK OUT'

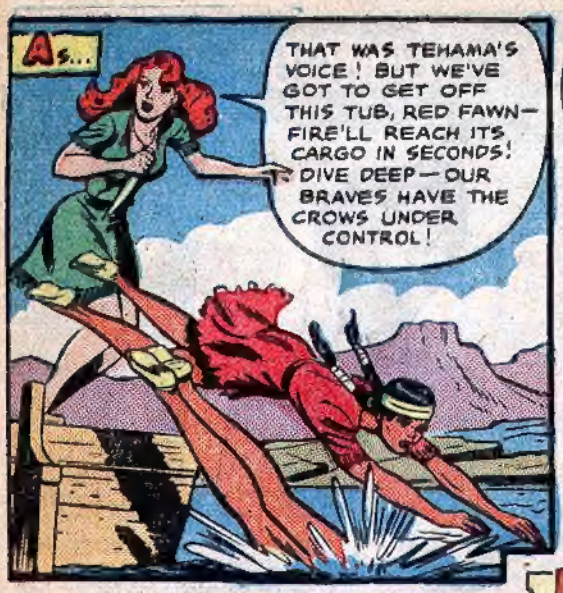
TOO LATE, SCURVY RATS! HERE — YOUR CURSED LEADER WOULD JOIN YOU!

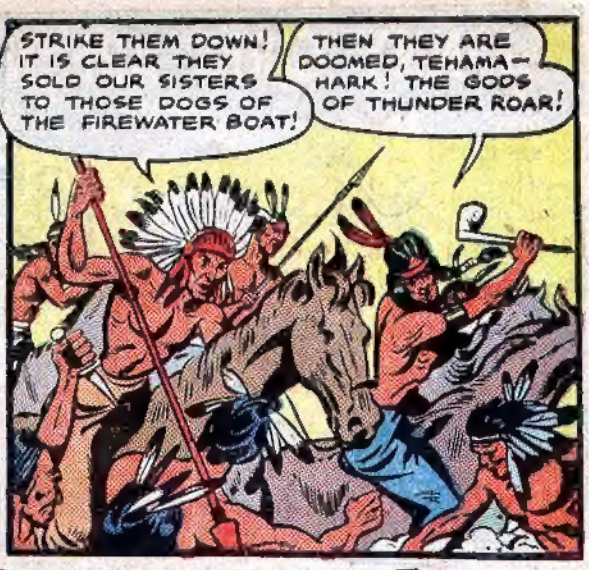
A MOMENT AND I'LL HAVE YOU BOTH FREE, RED FAWN! THOSE DEVILS HAVE NO TIME FOR US! FIRE'S THROWN PANIC INTO THEM—LISTEN!

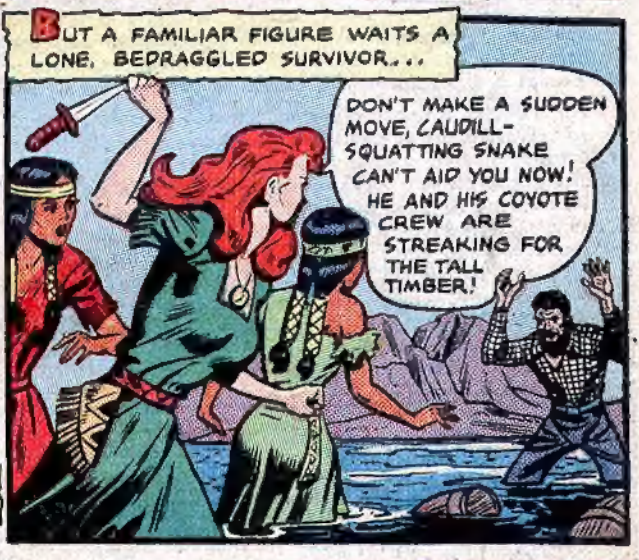
SQUATTING SNAKE— GET IN HERE AND HELP GET THESE FLAMES OUT' THE MOONSHINE'LL GO UP IN SMOKE UNLESS—

AI-AI' SPEED BROTHERS! LEST THE SMOKE TOTEM TAKE OUR PRECIOUS—
BUT HARK, O CHIEFTAIN— HOOFBEATS! BY THE SACRED SIGN — LOOK!


HAI—HAI-EE! ONWARD, DAKOTA BRAVES — LET YOUR SHAFTS TASTE CROW BLOOD THIS DAY!







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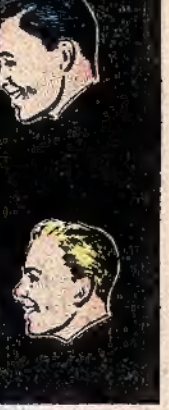

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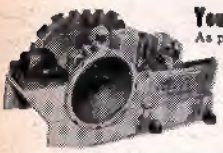

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